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TERRIFIC BATTLES  
EAST AND WESTBRITISH GAIN GREATER RE-  
SULTS IN LAST TWO DAYS  
THAN IN YEARGERMAN SHORE BATTERIES  
SINK BRITISH WARSHIPBAYONET RUSH BY FRENCH  
FOLLOWS VIOLENT BOM-  
BARDMENT IN WEST

## BULLETIN:

Paris, Sept. 27.—The new offensive movement is continuing along the entire front in Champagne, the war of attrition today announced. Further German positions have been occupied. The announcement says that all gains made in the Aisne region in northwestern France have been maintained. Intense cannonading continues between the Meuse and Moselle and in Lorraine, on the part of both the Allies and the Germans.

## British Make Marvelous Gains.

London, Sept. 27.—In two days the French and British have gained greater results than in the preceding twelve months fighting, since the famous battle of the Marne, with upwards of twenty thousand German prisoners in their hands and something like thirty guns, without counting the machine guns, and with a formidable breach in the German line.

The Allies apparently have the long expected offensive movement well under way. The advance has been general and its effect is emphasized by the fact that on the eastern front a most substantial gain for the Russians is recorded.

Petrograd states that the army under General Ivanoff has won a striking victory over the Germans and Austrians in the southeastern theater, where one thousand prisoners were taken.

The Belgians are taking a prominent part in the new offensive. An official announcement today reported the capture of a German post on the right bank of the Yser, with the consequent evacuation by the Germans of adjoining trenches.

Bayonet Rush Follows  
Bombardment.

Paris, Sept. 27.—Reports from the front say that only twenty minutes were required for the French infantry to complete the victory prepared for them by 60 hours of violent shelling, and to overrun the first line of German trenches north of Perther, in Champagne. While awaiting the moment for attack, the French rested behind the lines, joking and putting their arms in perfect order. The bright glow from the slow burning illuminating rockets and the glare of exploding projectiles lighted up the entire scene of action during the two nights.

Wounded soldiers here say the charge was so impetuous that the Germans who were still alive after the terrific artillery bombardment seemed dazed and unable to resist. There was no musketry in this final attack, the bayonet doing all of the work.

## Twenty Classes Called to Colors.

Paris, Sept. 27.—The mobilization (Continued on Page Eight.)

## THE WAR A YEAR AGO TODAY

Sept. 27, 1914.

Allies repulsed German attacks on both wings, but Germans gained in center.  
French re-enforced on the Meuse.  
Germans bombard Malines.  
Russians checked German advance into Poland at Suwalki and entered town of Przemyel.  
Serbs and Montenegrins reached Roumanian border.  
Japanese defeated Germans in outskirts of Kiaochow.  
German aviators dropped bombs in Paris and Warsaw.  
Cholera outbreak in Austria.

FORMER LOVER, JEALOUS,  
KILLED MEMPHIS COUPLEDETECTIVES THINK THEY HAVE  
SOLUTION OF SENSATIONAL  
MURDER MYSTERY

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 27.—A former lover of Marguerite Favar, actress and one-time wife of Creator, band master, is believed by Memphis police to have been the murderer of the woman and her wealthy paramour, J. C. Crowell, of Greenwood, Miss. The crime was committed in an apartment house here Monday night.

It is believed that the man lay in wait in the Favar apartment and that he struck the actress from behind with a hammer when he saw her in a compromising position. Detectives think that Miss Favar was killed and that Crowell then was attacked and beaten into insensibility. Setting fire to the bed clothes is thought to have been the next step in the tragedy. As the fire approached him Crowell is believed to have rallied and grappled with the assailant. Then his throat was cut from ear to ear, detectives think.

The bodies of the actress and Crowell were nude when found.

HOGS CREWED OFF CHILD'S  
ARM; MOTHER TO RESCUE

Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 27.—The 2-year-old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith, whose home is in the oil fields of McIntosh county, strayed from the yard into the rough hills back of the home and was attacked by hogs. The screams of the child brought its mother to the rescue. Though she arrived in time to save her baby's life, the hogs had chewed off one of the infant's arms.

Less than a week ago Mrs. Griffith rescued her child by shooting two large rattlesnakes which had crawled into her home from the wild, rough country behind the house.

WILSON WINS, DUMBA  
WILL BE RECALLED

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 27.—Austria today formally notified Ambassador Penfield that it will recall Dr. Dumba as requested by President Wilson.

SCHOFF IS APPOINTED  
RECEIVER FOR KATY

(By Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 27.—Charles E. Schaff, president, was appointed receiver for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad, by Judge Adams of the United States circuit court, following the filing of suits by the Railway Steel Springs company, of New Jersey, with a claim of sixteen thousand dollars, and D. B. Husey, the contractor, with a claim of one hundred and twenty thousand.

The suit was a friendly one and the financial situation of the road was presented to Judge Adams by the railroad officers.

GRAY HAIR TURNS BROWN,  
CUTS NEW TEETH

Atchison, Kan., Sept. 27.—After being gray haired for many years, Mrs. Martha Lewis, of this city, has had her hair restored to its natural color by a freak of nature. She is 75 years old. A year ago her hair, which was silver white, began turning brown and today is the same color it was in her youth. Another remarkable incident is that she is at present cutting her third set of teeth.

## SANTA FE SHOWS

INCREASE EARNINGS  
New York, Sept. 27.—Gross operating revenues of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad company last month, as announced today, were \$10,304,377, an increase of \$737,888, or 7.5 per cent over those of August, 1914, and 12 per cent more than two years ago. Net revenues last month were \$4,086,641, an increase of \$222,729 or 5.6 per cent.

## First Photo of Men Who Will Settle Fate of Mexico



From left to right:—Senor don Ignacio Corderon de Boliva; Senor Carlos Mara de Para of Uruguay; Senor don Joaquin Mendez of Guatemala; E. C. Sweet, the secretary of the conference, of Washington; Senor Gonzalo S. Noan of Argentina; Senor Domingos de Gama of Brazil; Secretary Lansing, and Senor don Eduardo Suarez Mulica of Chile.

This is the first photograph for which the South American diplomats who with Secretary of State Lansing have taken up the question of Mexico have posed in a group. They are hard at work on the problem of settling the differences between the Mexican factions in order to establish a government and prevent further bloodshed.

It is said on good authority in Washington that at the next meeting, about three weeks hence, the conference will come to a final determination as to which Mexican faction is to be recognized.

SCHOOLS OF CITY  
SHOWS HEALTHY  
GROWTH IN YEARPROF. SCOTT HAS SITUATION  
WELL IN HAND FOR EX-  
SUCING SEMESTER

The beginning of the second week of the present school term shows a healthy increase in enrollment over that of 1914. The average enrollment during last year was 1,755. This year the term starts with 1,881, or an increase of 126. The high school also shows an increase of 43 over the average for 1914. Professor Tom Scott, who heads the schools this year, is much gratified over the splendid showing. He is working hard to make a record and has the cooperation of both the teachers and the pupils. He seems to understand his business and knows how to put system at work, which is something the schools have needed for some time.

Following is a report of the enrollment by schools at the end of the first week:

Banner School	290
Capitol School	297
Central School	303
Cottrell School	57
Guthrie High School	312
Eighth Grade	115
Douglas School	205
Lincoln School	200
Faver School	102

Total enrollment, 1,881.  
Total enrollment at end of first month, 1914, 1,755.  
Increased enrollment, 126.  
Total enrollment High School and Eighth Grade, first week, 1915, 427.  
Total enrollment High School and Eighth Grade, first month, 1914, 284.  
Increased enrollment, 43.  
With reference to school matters, Professor Scott made the following statement today:

"The increased enrollment as may be noted in the above statistics, is (Continued on Page Eight.)"

MAKE STUDY OF  
STATE OIL FIELD

The United States geological survey has just made public a report on the Loco gas field in Oklahoma, by Carroll H. Wagemann, which was prepared under a co-operative agreement between the federal and state surveys, according to which each organization furnished a part of the funds necessary for the work. The Loco field is on the line between Stephens and Jefferson counties, three miles southwest of the village of Loco and 10 miles northwest of the Healdton oil field. For many years asphalt deposits have been known to exist in this vicinity, but deep drilling for oil and gas was not begun until 1912. The first gas well was struck in the spring of 1913, about six months before the Healdton pool was discovered. Six other gas wells, of capacities ranging from 5,000,000 to 20,000,000 cubic feet a day, have been drilled, but no pipe line has yet been laid to the field and the wells are capped.

The report which has been published as bulletin #21-C, contains suggestions in regard to prospecting the field for oil and gas. A free copy of the bulletin may be obtained on application to the director of the geological survey, Washington, D. C.

SHERIFF SHERWOOD AND  
DEPUTIES GRAB GAMBLERSSIX, INCLUDING CHAS. ALLEN,  
ARE GATHERED IN BY  
THE LAW

When Sheriff Bill Sherwood and his two deputies Regmon and Robertson approached the outside portals of a gambling room on West Harrison, just west of the Bogley Cafe Saturday night, the place was so completely taken by surprise that he failed to give the alarm. W. P. Hoyland, who operates a real estate exchange in the room, opened the door for the officers.

Sherwood and his deputies were in the room and had the place covered before the "boys" could get away with the "deadwood."

Chas. Allen had charge of the bank roll and the house "kitty," \$17.20 was found in front of Allen. Five, including Allen were arrested. All gave bond for appearance. Check racks and tables were confiscated by the officers.

The warrant was issued by Justice Hornaday on request of County Attorney Arthur Swank. The raid was staged at 9 o'clock Saturday night.

An interested crowd of spectators watched the gang as they were marched down the street by the sheriff's posse.

EXECUTIVE MEETING OF  
I. P. A. OF OKLAHOMA

Saturday afternoon at 2:15, the executive officers of the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association of Oklahoma met in the Terminal Building in Oklahoma City, in a semi-annual business session.

The officers are the following: Paul V. Beck, president, of A. & M.; J. Kelsey McClure, vice president, of O. M. U.; Otto A. Brewer, secretary, of O. U.; and Rex F. Harlow, traveling secretary, O. U.

In the absence of the president, Paul V. Beck, the vice president, J. Kelsey McClure, acted as chairman of the meeting. At this the first business meeting of the school year 1915-16, plans were formulated for this year's work. Among the more important matters taken up was a plan to get in personal touch with all the local organizations, a broadening of the work of the traveling secretary, whose business it is to visit, not only the colleges of the state, but the high schools and normals as well, and last but not least was the preparation for the state annual convention which will be held in Norman at O. U. some time next spring, the exact date, as yet not being fixed. It is the aim of the executive committee to have present at that convention some of the leading prohibition speakers of the United States, and in this way give to the many college and high school students who will be present, some of the vital facts regarding prohibition of our state and nation.

COYLE TRIAL BEGINS  
TODAY AT NEWKIRK

County Attorney Swank and Former County Attorney John Adams left Sunday night for Newkirk, where this morning began the long delayed trial of Ed J. Coyle, charged with conspiracy in the burning of two guns at Crescent over two years ago. Many witnesses went to Newkirk from this county today. It is expected that the trial will last for a week at least.

40 HAITIEN REBELS  
KILLED IN BATTLE

Cape Haitien, Sept. 27.—In an attempt by Haitian rebels on an American force about two miles from Cape Haitien, forty Haitians were killed. Ten Americans were wounded.

The rebels have refused to disarm and the Americans are marching on Haut Du Cap, in the plain of the north.

## Delinquent Taxes Due.

Personal taxes for 1914 are now in the hands of the sheriff for collection. After October 1st it will be his duty to levy on the property of those who have not paid. To avoid this it would be well to pay now, after October 1st will be too late.

THIRD TICKET  
IN NATIONAL  
FIELD IS SUREPROGRESSIVE PARTY LEAD-  
ERS DECIDE TO NOMINATE  
CANDIDATE NEXT YEARWILL CONSULT WISHES  
OF COLONEL ROOSEVELTVICTOR MURDOCK SAYS CON-  
FERENCE WAS UNANIMOUS  
IN ITS CONCLUSIONS

New York, Sept. 27.—At a conference today of national leaders of the progressive party, held in the 43d street building, it was agreed that the party should put a presidential ticket in the field next year. Whether Colonel Theodore Roosevelt is to be the nominee was left to the future to determine, but the majority present were clearly in favor of him. Victor Murdock, chairman of the national committee of the party, said after the meeting:

"We shall nominate a straight progressive ticket in 1916. The sentiment of all the leaders today was unanimous on that. To be sure, we have had some losses during the last year, but the heavy enrollment we expect to get and the unpopularity of the old parties make us believe that we can put a ticket into the field that will appeal to the people."

"Will Colonel Roosevelt be the presidential candidate?" Mr. Murdock was asked.

"The colonel is still in the wilds," was the reply.

"Well, will the colonel have anything to say about next year's plans?"

"Oh, yes. He will be consulted, of course," said the national chairman.

Mr. Murdock was asked if there was any possibility of Mr. Roosevelt being the candidate of the republicans, and he replied that the progressives would make no alliances or deals with the republicans; that the party would "sit tight" until the time came and then put a straight out and out progressive ticket in the field.

NAFARRATE TO BE  
CHIEF OF STAFF

Brownsville, Tex., Sept. 27.—The promotion of Gen. Emiliano P. Nafarrate, Carranza commander at Matamoros, to be a general of brigade, was announced here last night by the Carranza consul. It is not known here whether the promotion entails the much talked of transfer of General Nafarrate to another post, because of his supposed inability to disconnect his soldiers from alleged complicity in the anti-American raids on the Texas side of the border.

## SEVEN ON CHAIN GANG.

Last night's toll of undesirables resulted in a gang of seven working the city streets today. "I have saved the city several hundred dollars by making the 'Woary Willes' work," said Chief Mitchell today.

## THE WEATHER



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(By Associated Press.)  
New Orleans, La., Sept. 27.—To night, partly cloudy, cooler; Tuesday, partly cloudy.